

Burk, Charles E.

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Charles E. Burk Died Sunday at Mary Greeley Hospital 1946

Collins, April 29 — Charles E. Burk, farmer of two and one-half miles northeast of Collins died Sunday at 10:30 a.m. in Mary Greeley hospital in Ames where he had been taken three weeks ago suffering from heart trouble and other complications. He had been ill since October, 1945.

Mr. Burk was sixty-two years of age. He was born in Benton county, Iowa, on September 19, 1883, and moved to Story county in 1937, first living on a farm north of Ames. Later in 1941 he moved his family to their present farm home northeast of Collins.

He was married to Grace Cottrell on January 27, 1915. He was a member of the Methodist church.

Besides his wife, he leaves to mourn his death, two sons, Harold E. Burk and Martin F. Burk, both of Collins, and one brother, Lee W. Burk, also of Collins.

Funeral services are set for Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the United Brethren church in Collins with the pastor, Rev. Paul Varce, officiating. Burial will be in the Collins cemetery.

Funeral Services Held Wednesday for Charles E. Burk 1946

Collins, May 6 — Funeral services for the late Charles E. Burk were held from the United Brethren church at Collins Wednesday afternoon, May 1, with the Rev. Paul Varce in charge. Music was furnished by a quartet composed of Mrs. K. W. Tomlinson, Mrs. Ivan Mullihan, Milton Hale and Bradford Stevens, with Mrs. C. R. Stone at the piano. The songs were "Does Jesus Care," "Ivory Palaces," and "Sometime We'll Understand." Flowers were arranged at the church and grave by Mrs. J. E. Hale and Mrs. Ora Hanson.

The pall bearers were Dan Nelson, Rolla Beavers, Allen Struthers, Paul Evans, Noah Hyatt and Arley Wolf. Interment was in Collins Evergreen cemetery.

Charles E. Burk, eldest son of Wilbur F. and Ada Burk, was born Sept. 19, 1883, on a farm near Vinton, Ia., and passed away April 28, 1946, in Mary Greeley hospital, Ames, after a lingering illness from heart trouble and complications.

He grew to manhood on the home farm. He was married to Grace Pearl Cottrell on Jan. 27, 1915. To this union were born two sons, Harold Everett and Marian Francis, both of Collins.

Mr. Burk and his family lived in Benton county about nine years. From there they moved to the farm near Collins where they now reside.

He is survived by one brother, Lee W. Burk, his wife, two sons and one granddaughter, all of Collins.

The deceased was a Christian man, and a member of the Methodist church for many years. He was a loving father, devoted to his family and home, a good neighbor always ready and willing to lend a helping hand. He will be greatly missed by all.